

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
	)	No. 3:14-00037
v.	)	
	)	8 U.S.C. § 1326
[1] HECTOR PALMA ZAPIEN,	)	18 U.S.C. § 371
a/k/a Hector Paima Zapien,	)	18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(5)
	)	18 U.S.C. § 1014
[2] MARTHA SANDOVAL-ROSALES,	)	18 U.S.C. § 1343
	)	18 U.S.C. § 1546(a)
[3] MARIA SANDOVAL-ROSALES,	)	18 U.S.C. § 1960(b)(1)(B)
	)	31 U.S.C. § 5324(a)(3)
[4] MARIA DE LOURDES CORREA-RUIZ	)	42 U.S.C. § 408(a)(7)(B)

**MOTION TO SET A STATUS CONFERENCE**

On April 16, 2015, defendant Maria De Lourdes Correa-Ruiz moved to change her plea, in the above-referenced matter, to guilty. (Doc. 95.) On April 17, 2015, the Court granted the motion and scheduled a guilty plea hearing for April 28, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. (Doc. 97.) In the interest of judicial economy, the United States now moves the Court to set a Status Conference concurrent with the April 28<sup>th</sup> guilty plea hearing.

The United States submits that on April 28th, in addition to addressing (1) Ms. De Lourdes' change of plea, if it chooses, the Court could also address: (2) defendant Martha Sandoval-Rosales' April 23<sup>rd</sup> motion to continue the May 5<sup>th</sup> trial date (Doc. 101.), (3) the status of any plea negotiations with respect to other defendants, and (4) the motions for severance filed by Martha Sandoval-Rosales and Maria Sandoval-Rosales. (Docs. 93, 94.) The United States submits that, in light of the May 5<sup>th</sup> trial date, it would be efficient for all of the attorneys involved (government and defense) to appear in Court on April 28<sup>th</sup> to discuss these matters.

DATE: April 23, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID RIVERA  
United States Attorney

By: /s/ Thomas J. Jaworski  
THOMAS J. JAWORSKI  
Assistant United States Attorney  
110 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue South – Suite A-961  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203-3870  
Telephone: (615) 736-5151  
[Thomas.J.Jaworski2@usdoj.gov](mailto:Thomas.J.Jaworski2@usdoj.gov)

**Certificate of Service**

I certify that on this 23rd day of April, 2015, a copy of the foregoing UNITED STATES' MOTION TO SET A STATUS CONFERENCE was served, via the Court's electronic case-filing system, upon the following:

Peter J. Strianse  
Counsel for Defendant Hector Palma Zapien

James H. Todd  
Counsel for Defendant Martha Sandoval-Rosales

Erik R. Herbert  
Counsel for Defendant Maria Sandoval-Rosales

Kenneth D. Quillen  
Counsel for Defendant Maria De Lourdes Correa-Ruiz

/s/ Thomas J. Jaworski  
Assistant United States Attorney